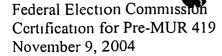
## BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	) ) PRE-MUR 419
Earl Allen Haywood, in his official and	)
personal capacities; Dole North Carolina Victory Committee, Inc. and	MUR # 5610
Mike Mitchell, as treasurer; North	) WIOK# J WIO
Carolina's Salute to George W. Bush Committee, Inc. and Theodore V Koch,	)
as treasurer	)

## **CERTIFICATION**

I, Darlene Harris, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on November 09, 2004, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 6-0 to take the following actions in Pre-MUR 419:

- 1. Open a matter under review.
- 2. Find reason to believe that Earl Allen Haywood knowingly and willfully violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 432(b)(3), (c)(5), (h)(1), 434(b)(4)(H)(v), (6)(B)(v) and 439a(b).
- 3. Find reason to believe that the Dole North Carolina Victory Committee, Inc. and Mike Mitchell, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 432(c)(5), (h)(1), 434(b)(4)(H)(v), (6)(B)(v) and 441b(a).
- 4. Find reason to believe that the North Carolina's Salute to George W. Bush Committee, Inc. and Theodore V. Koch, as treasurer, violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 432(c)(5), (h)(1), 434(b)(4)(H)(v) and (6)(B)(v), but take no further action in this matter.
- 5. Approve the Factual and Legal Analyses, as recommended in the General Counsel's Report dated October 20, 2004.



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## 7 Approve the appropriate letters

Commissioners Mason, McDonald, Smith, Thomas, Toner, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest

November 9, 2004

Darlene Harris

Deputy Secretary of the Commission